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down of the motive power, an overloading

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as to extinguish the fires and make an ex-

plosion imminent. For three and a half

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Headless and Limbless Trunk

Found at Lynn, Mass.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

ers so it was possible to get up steam.

even had the wind been favorable.

MISTAKEN FOR A BURGLAR AND SHOT.

Wrong House and the Occupant Fired on Him.

Theodore Nussmann, a young man living at 2004 South Broadway, entered the wrong house on returning home early yesterday morning and was mistaken for a burglar and shot. The bullet entered his right thigh, inflicting a flesh wound.

Nussmann attended a party in the evening and it was after 12 o'clock when he started home. After stopping for refreshments several times, he reached the neighborhood of his home about 1 o'clock in the morning. In the row where he lives all of the houses look alike and so they did to him yesterday morning.

The dwellings are all on the second floor over storerooms, which open on Broadway. Entrance to the dwellings are gained by passing through archway halls to rear courts, leading to stairways which reach the second and third floor tenants.

Nussman entered the wrong archway and went up the stairway to the residence of Louis Roth, a photographer living at No. 2006 South Broadway. Roth was awakened from his slumbers by

the sound of some one stalking on his porch and went out, revolver in hand, to investigate. When he saw a man's form he called "stop!" Nussmann apparently did not hear him, or if he did, thought it was only a joke and started toward him. As he did so, Roth pulled the trigger. A deafening roar and the pain of a builet his senses and he cried with pain:

"Don't, don't shoot, its me, I'm no thief!" Roth discovered his mistake when it was too late to rectify the error and stopped firing. When the smoke of battle cleared away, Roth lifted Nussmann to his feet and assisted him to the office of Doctor lig at No. 2512 South Twelfth street. He extracted the bullet, pronouncing his con-Nussmann returned home to nurse the wound, declaring he would be more careful in the future to en-

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NICARAGUA ROUTE MAY BE CHOSEN.

Theodore Nussmann Got Into the Isthmian Canal Commission Has Tossed for Days on Crest of Storm Practically Decided on This Waterway.

> Washington, Oct. 17.-The Isthmian Canal Commission is at work on its report, but it is evident that it will find it impossible to do more than submit a preliminary statement to Congress when the session begins. Notwithstanding the fact that the commission has not taken a vote as to the route It prefers, It is apparent from the trend of the investigation it is now making that it favors the Nicaragua waterway. Because of the dimensions and displacement of modern steamships it has been determined that a canal thirty feet deep would be too small, and the commission is preparing estimates on a canal which shall be thirty-five feet in

On the thirty-foot canal the majority of the first Walker Commission estimated the cost at about \$125,000,000. The increase in depth and width projected will necessarily make the projected canal more expensive. Borings are being made to ascertain if the increased excavation necessary will require the removal of rock or soft dirt. In the former case the cost will, of course, larger, and in the latter the increase will not be so great.

Solid Gold Birth-Month Rings. For October, the Opal, signifying "Hope," \$3.25 to \$150, with diamonds up to \$500, Mermed & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

Reunion of Ex-Prisoners.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Normal, Ill., Oct. II.—The annual reunion
of the lilinois Association of Union ExPrisoners of War assembled here this after-Prisoners of War assembled here this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the headquarters of
Charles E. Hovey Post, G. A. R. About 100
members are present. One of the most distinguished soldiers present is General James
Atwell of Pittsburg, Pa., formerly of
Bloomington, Ill., commander of the National Association. After assembling this
afternoon and appointing committees the
association adjourned and spent the afternoon in sightseeing about Normal and
Blcomington. The ex-prisoners were welcomed by Mayor Schools E. A. Fritter also delivered an address of welcome.

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Cattle Inspection Report.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 17.—Following is the report of the cattle haspection at Union Stock Yards, Chicago, for the week ending Stock Yards, Chicago, for the week and the October 13:
Inspected in yards, 264; passed in yards, 171; beld for post-mortem, 23; held over from October 6, 1; passed on post-mortem, 84; condemned as unfit for food and tanked, 19; cases of tuberculosis discovered on post-mortem 8.

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Noon Marriage at Virginia.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Virginia, Ill., Oct. 17.—Dector Frederick L.
Hamil and Miss Laura E. Coolley were
married at high noon by the Reverend C.
P. Coolley. The groom is prominent at Lincoln, Ill., and the bride is the daughter of
the Reverend and Mrs. C. H. Coolley of the
Cumberland Presbyterian Church of this
city.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL
Austin, Tex., Oct. 17.—Acting Governor
Browning to-day made requisition upon
the Governor of Missouri for C. W.
Fisher and C. J. Rief, wanted in Uvaide,
Tex., for swindling the bank there out of
some \$10,000 upon telegraphic orders.

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STAUNCH DEMOCRAT HAS PASSED AWAY.

Nicholas Perrin, a Wealthy and Esteemed Citizen of St. Clair County, Dead.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Lebanon, Hi., Oct. 17.—Nicholas Perrin, one of the oldest and wealthlest residents of St. Char County, died at his home, one mile cust of here yesterday afternoon of bright's disease. The deceased was the father of J. Nick Perrin. a preminent Democratic politician, and was worth from \$1.500 to 100,000 all of which, he acquired by his own efforts. He was a farmer and was born at Hautelocker, Lorraine, France, in 1822, and came to America cleven years after and rettled at Cathokia. He afterwards lived in French Village and Ridge Prairie, but in 1874, he moved to his farm here, where he had since lived. He was married in 1844 to Mary Piffiner. Three chiefren were born to them, one of whom. J. Nich Perrin, survives. The deceased was a man of sterling integrity and was universable extension. a man of sterling integrity and was univer-sally estermed. He was a Democrat.

VISITORS AT THE HOTELS.

Charles McNail and Mrs. McNail of Duquota. lamuel Robert of London is at the St. Niche-AN AGONIZING TIME. T. Hancock of Bonham, Tex., is at the -P. de la Pena and family of Saitillo, Mexi-co, are at the Southern, -J. T. Burks of Farmington, Mo., is at the -Mrs. Charles Holland and Mrs. E. J. Robber-on of Springfield are at the Planters. -J. P. Gorden of Caruthersville, Mo., is at the Southern.

GRAND LODGE ELECTION.

Much Discussion of Proposed Amendments to By-Laws.

the steamship Charles D. Lane reached port Much routine business was disposed of at the second day's session of the Missouri Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M., in the Odeon. This morning at 10 o'clock the election of officers for text year will be made a special order of business and final adjournment will be taken before night, it is thought. The boilers of the Lane leaked so badly absolutely helpless, not being provided with sufficient sail to keep head on to the storm.

will be taken before night, it is thought. Yesterday's morning session was devoted to the consideration of proposed amendments to the by-laws, and reports of committees. Some of the amendments were called up and adopted.

A committies was created to revise the burial service of the order, but its members have not been appointed. In the afternoon the principal business was the discussion of a proposed amendment to the section of the law touching physical qualifications for membership in the order. This matter provoked considerable spirited debate, but final action was not taken. The Committee on Appeals and Grievanices submitted its report, and it was adopted. quired. Doctor Bond, expert opticion at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, dopted.

In the evening the Grand Lodge met in large in the complete of the fourth floor of the femile for exemplification of work in the fair degree.

Following is the "slate" for to-day's elec-

master.

John C. Yocum, Kansas City, for grand Lynn, Mass., Oct. 17.—The Guldensuppe case has its parallel in Lynn. The headless and limbless trunk of a man was taken from Floating Bridge Poud to-day, and the police are now at work on scant clews ex-actly similar to those of the famous New York case. retary.

It is thought that there will be no opposition to any of these candidates. The only other office to be filled by election is that of grand junior warden, for which there are many candidates.

FINE CATTLE ON EXHIBITION.

Splendid Collection of Shorthorns and Herefords at Kansas City.

ponce are now at work on scant clews exacity similar to those of the famous New
York case.

The trunk was inclosed in a cloth bag
such as would commonly be used to ship
pointoes in. It is that of a man probably
between 20 and 40 years of age and weighing about 160 pounds.

Apparently a dull ax was used to sever
the bones, as marks of a blunt-edzed instrument are plulnily seen on the stump of
one leg, but the rest of the butchery was
accomplished in clean cuts with a sharp
knife. Some clothing was found with the
trunk, including a vest.

Two builet holes in the breast indicate
that the man was killed before the mutilation. In the vest pocket was found a watch
case without works.

John Hannen of Saugus says that the
clothing resembles that worn by George
Bailey, who has been missing from the
Johnson farm, Saugus, two weeks.

The head is cut off close to the body.
The legs are severed two inches from the
trunk and the arms close to the shoulders.

The place where the bady was found be
committed with little risk of discovery. The
police think, however, that the deed was
committed with little risk of discovery. The
police think, however, that the deed was
committed with little risk of discovery. The
police think, however, that the remains
were brought to the pond. Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 17.—Interest is interesing in the national shorthern and
Hereford exhibition. Many more cattle
brueders came in to-day from other States.
C. E. Leonard, president of the Shorthern
Association, and T. E. B. Sotham, president of the Hereford Association, say that
never before in the world was there such
a collection together of the two breeds.
The estimated values of the short horns
and Herefords, to be exhibited and sold, is
three-quarters of a million dollars.
The rivalry between the shorthorn and
the Hereford breeders is intense, but
friendly, Buils of both breeds under 6
months of age were exhibited and judged
to-day. The entries numbered twenty-one
Herefords and eleven shorthorns. Prizes
were awarded as follows:
Shorthorns—First, Lerd Barrington III.

Shorthorns-First, Lord Barrington III, exhibited by N. H. Gentry, Sedalia, Mo. Herefords-First, Brigadler, exhibited by Gudgell and Simpson, Independence, Mo.

Dillingham Gained Three and PROMINENT MAN DISAPPEARS. S. W. Schultz Writes That He Will Montpeller, Vt., Oct. 17.—The second bullot for United States Senator in the Vermont Legislature to-day resulted in no choice, ex-Governor Dillingham gained three votes

Not Return Home. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Eigh, Ill., Oct. 17.—S. W. Schultz, a preminent Republican, formerly City Attorney, has departed, and writes that he will not return. His debts are believed to be large. Mrs. Schultz is prostrated.

LAURENCE HATCH IS MISSING FROM HOME

Won Fame by Tearing Down Spanish Flag.

VOTE FOR VERMONT SENATOR.

Grout Lost Two Votes.

to-day and Congressman Grout lest two. The vote was: Dillingham (R.), 109; Grout (R.), 82; Prouty (R.), 29; Ross (R.), 13; Hazieton (D.), received 45 votes, one less than yesterday.

MOTHER IS ANXIOUS

Laurence Hatch, the young man who won fame at the outbreak of the Spanish-American War, when he gathered a crowd of friends around him in Kansas City. Mo., and with great ceremony hauled down a Spanish flag, tore it to tatters, and then burned it, has been missing from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatch of No. 201 South Main street, East St. Louis, since May 3.

All efforts to locate him have proved fruitless, and his mother is worn with grief. Hatch is 20 years old. When the war was declared with Spain he was employed in a mercantile establishment in Kansas City. He tried for two days to enter the army, but was refused at the recruiting of-fice because of his apparent youth. Angered at the officers for this, he gathered his friends about him and secured the Spanish

statement, he began the ceremony of tearing down the Spanish flag. A few months later he managed to enlist in the Forty-fourth Regiment, stationed at Fort Leavenworth. This was against the wishes of his parents, and he was discharged before the



Who has been missing from his home in East St. Louis since May 2.

then returned to his home in East St. Louis and secured a position as train-caller for the Illinois Central Railroad, for which free because of his apparent youth. Angered at the officers for this, he gathered his friends about him and secured the Spanish colors.

"I am bound to do something for my country," he is said to have declared, "even if it is only to arouse enthusiasm." With this statement he heart the apparent of test control of the country of test control of the morning of that day and was seen in Monett. He did not return with the exceptions.

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FOR A MONUMENT AT HIGGINSVILLE, MO,

United Daughters of Confederacy Propose to Erect One in Confederate Cemetery There.

Missouri Division United Daughters of the Confederacy, now in annual session at Jefferson Club Hall, Grand avenue and West let for the extent of over a half a billion bettles. More than any other bottled beer in the world. Made exclusively by the American public for the extent of over a half a billion bettles. More than any other bottled beer in the world. Made exclusively by the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association. Mo., and to erect in it a monument to comemorate the deeds of the men who are sleeping in the neglected, uninclosed reservation, and to hand down to posterity the names of the women who built the home in which the dead soldiers spent their declin ing years.

To accomplish this double purpose it, is proposed to ask the Board of Managers of the Confederate Home to convey the title to the cemetery to a board to be formed of three members of the Daughters of the Confederacy, three members of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and one outsider, to be selected by the other six. The proposition originated with Mrs. Ry

land Todhunter of Higginsville, and its adoption in the form of a resolution, was the principal business of the day. The convention was called to order at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Addresses were made by the president, Mrs. R. E. Wilson of Kansas City, and Mrs. P. G. Robert of St. Louis, former president, and one of the organizers of the association. Both of the addresses were warmly received, and the ladies were everwhelmed with compliments. In the absence of Mrs. Williamson, the regular secretary, Mrs. H. P. Mason of

regular secretary, Mrs. H. P. Mason of Fayette was chosen to fill that position protem, and the convention proceeded with routine business.

At moor adjournment was taken for two hours, and the convention was entertained at luncheon by the members of the St. Louis chapter.

The afternoon was taken up with the consideration of reports from the various chapters, and in the evening the ladies attended the Exposition, occupying especially decorated boxes.

Sixteen chapters in all quarters of the State are represented in the convention. Among the guests are: Mrs. Wade Hampton, dauchter-in-law of the distinguished Georgia General, and Mrs. R. W. Parcells of Gundalajara, Mexico.

The convention will complete its work to-day.

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MANY REPORTS ARE MADE.

Presbyterian Synod Discusses the Question of Ministerial Salaries.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Decatur, Hi., Oct. II.—The Presbyterian Synod to day was attended by about 150 delegates. Committees were appointed to look after the details of the zynod. The action of the informal meeting of has hight in electing the Reverend T. B. Greenlee of Carroliton moderator and the Reverend D. S. Johnson of Hinsdale stated clerk was confirmed. The local paster, the Reverend W. H. Penhallegon, presented the moderator with a gavel made of different woods collected from all parts of the world.

The most important business of the day was the report on the relations of the Woman's Home Missionary Society to the synod. The report was made by the chairman, Thomas Lowan, and showed that there were 486 ministers envolled as members of the Hillinois Synod. Of these, forty-eight live outside the State, fourteen are foreign missionaries, twenty-two are professors and thirty-four are honorary retired, leaving 32 ready for active service. There are 450 churches enrolled, Of these, sixty-six are not supplied, and there is an excess of twenty-five ministers who might supply these churches. In the report it was stated that before sending these ministers into the field the "question of support" must be determined, and it was stated and substantiated by figures that the pay of the ministers was small and should be better. It was stated that nearly be of the ministers receive less than the salary paid for unkilled manual labor, and that the most practical question now confronting the

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church was the adequate support of the ministry. The treasurer of the home mission fund reported for the year ending October 15 as follows:

Receipts—From presbyteries, 13,924; from churches, 1799; expenditures, 14,522. The home mission report was supplemented by resolutions, the most important of which was that the minimum salary of a minister whealth be 1890 a year. J. R. Hanna, chairman of the Standing Committee on Mission to Freedmen, reported that the hoard was out of debt and should be commended for its work. The committee recommended that the presbyteries and churches be impressed with the importance of this work, and that the ministers make a study of the history of the nearo. To-night there were missionary addresses by the Reverend Doctor A. W. Halsey, secretary of the Board of Forcier Missions, of New York, and the Reverend Joseph A. Vance of Chicago.

Miss Mae Brady, daughter of Budwelser Beer. Budwelser Beer

Pardon Cases Under Advisement. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 17.—The following cases were taken under advisement by the Board of Pardons to-day:
Michael Morris, Cook County, murder; Themas Davenport, Cook County, burglary. The following cases were continued:
Salvatore DeAngelo, Cook County, assault with Intent to kill; Richard Scully, Cook County, robberty; Charles W. Spalding, Cook County, embezzlement; Charles Kurth, Cook County, murder; Charles Kurth, City Court of Litchfield, rape; Fred Fales, Platt County, murder.

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Inventor Marsh's Daughter Marries.
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Sycamore, Ill., Oct. 17.—Miss Allie
Marsh, daughter of W. W. Marsh and nices
of C. W. Marsh, editor of the Farm Implement News of Chicago, was married here
to-day to Edward Johnston of Chicago. Injured in a Runaway. Farber, Mo., Oct. 17.—As the result of a runaway team, J. H. Sturges of this place was thrown from his wagon, fracturing his collarbone and injuring him internally.

HER NEW DRESS.

Miss Mae Brady's Tailor Wanted Payment for Mother's and Sis-

Miss Mae Brady, daughter of Hugh J. Brady, was compelled to file a replevin suit yesterday to obtain possession of a new dress which she had ordered made especially to wear at a wedding in Monroe County. She finally got possession of the sarment in time to catch her train out of town.

Miss Brady appeared at Justice Pollard's court yesterday forenoon and told the Justice that she and her mother and sister had each ordered a dress made by F. Pitts & Co., who conduct a downtown ladies' talloring establishment. Miss Brady called for her dress yesterday morning and offered the price for making it, which was \$23. Pitts, she stated, refused to let her have the dress unless she also paid for her mother's and sister's dresses. She declined to take any dress but her own, and consulted a lawyer, who advised her to file a suit. The papers were given to Deputy Con

at the tailoring establishment, accompanied by Miss Brady, and asked for the dresses. Fitts exhibited the three dresses. Miss Brady pointed out hers and the deputy took pessession of it. Pitts grabbed the dress and tried to retain it, calling for the police, it is stated. Some of his female assistants tried to assist him in retaining the dress, the deputy states, and much excitement was caused. A nolice officer's attention was attracted, and he advised Pitts to surrender

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